

BARBER COUNTY INDEX

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 9, 1939

CHASE HARDWARE COMPANY

call your attention to the fact that Rock and Listers and Two-row Disc Cultivators are the leading farm tools.

A. T. & S. F. Time Card

KIOWA DISTRICT
WESTWARD
No. 547 leaves Kiowa 5:00 a. m., arrives at Medicine Lodge 6:30 a. m., leaves Medicine Lodge 6:30 a. m., arrives at Belvidere 7:45 a. m., No. 551 leaves Medicine Lodge 8:00 p. m., arrives at Belvidere 9:30 p. m.

EASTWARD
No. 548 leaves Belvidere 8:15 a. m., arrives at Medicine Lodge 9:30 a. m., leaves 9:30 p. m., and arrives at Kiowa 1:00 p. m.
No. 552 leaves Belvidere 6:00 a. m., arrives at Medicine Lodge 7:55 a. m.

MEDICINE LODGE DISTRICT
EASTWARD
No. 544 leaves Medicine Lodge 10:10 a. m., arrives at Attica 11:20 a. m.
No. 546 leaves Medicine Lodge 8:15 a. m., arrives at Attica 9:45 a. m.

WESTWARD
No. 545 leaves Attica 12:30 p. m., arrives at Medicine Lodge 2:15 p. m.
No. 543 leaves Attica 11:55 a. m., arrives at Medicine Lodge 1:05 p. m.

Nos. 543, 544, 547, 548 are first class trains. Nos. 545, 546, 551 and 552 are second class. All trains daily except Sunday.
Close connection: a car at Kiowa and Belvidere. Close connections west at Attica and Belvidere.

Cook and light with acetylene gas.

Try those Wolf Banquet Hams at Cole & Son's.

Otto Southworth returned from his visit in St. Louis last Wednesday.

Miss Lila Coyle has been re-elected teacher in the Harper schools.

J. K. Richardson, Gerlane, has the freshest stock of groceries in the county.

Hail insurance written by T. L. Lindley & Co. Don't delay it. Order it now.

Guilford Davis went to Wichita Monday to see Jack Trice in his critical illness.

Elder Brown returned home from Geuda Springs last Friday much improved in health.

I. A. Shannon of Ponca City, Oklahoma was here Monday looking after property interests.

J. R. Chadwick and T. B. Kinkaid represented Elm Mills township at equalization meeting Monday.

Jas. Quirk returned Friday from a trip to Great Bend where he put in several days on a business proposition.

For Sale. Some good steers, 1, 2 and 3 years old. Would also like to lease a good pasture. B. A. McAdoo, Sun, Kansas.

Those who have the Fourth of July celebration in charge should get busy if they desire to make a success of it. There is no time to waste.

Jack Williams went to Wichita Sunday morning to do some boosting for the firm of Murphy, Williams & Co. He will probably be there two weeks.

C. C. Hittle and his brother have purchased lots west of C. S. Gleason's property and will build a 3-room cottage and a barn 16x32. Work has already commenced.

Cole Bros., the new owners of the feed mill solicit the patronage of the people of the city and vicinity. Bran, shorts, chop, corn, kafir etc; always on hand. Custom grinding done promptly.

J. C. Wright, carrier on route 2, has a flashy new rig that outshines any of its kind in southern Kansas. It is a combination of luxury, beauty and usefulness and ought to make its owner a constant breeze of happiness.

The Blodgett Bridge Company of Kansas City was awarded the contract by the county commissioners [this week, to build a 50-foot span steel bridge on Little Mule creek near what formerly was Canema. Work will begin soon.

John Dollar came up from Enid Saturday morning to pack up and ship his son's shoe shop. "Uncle" John is always a most welcome visitor to the old town and his old friends are loyal to him in season and out. The recent trouble into which his son has fallen is sincerely regretted by the friends of the family.

The board of county commissioners are in session this week. They met as a board of equalization first and subsequently took up bridge matters and other miscellaneous county business. They will probably get through today or tomorrow. The work of the assessors in matters of valuations was very satisfactory and there are less complaints than usual. All the valuations are in, excepting the railroad and telegraph, which will be certified down from Topeka soon. County Clerk Ireland expects them in any mail.

T. L. Lindley & Co., will write your hail insurance.

Decide now to celebrate the Fourth in Medicine Lodge.

For best bargains in land and farm oans, see Wm. Palmer.

See Davis Gordon for fine seed corn, kafir, cane and German millet.

Wanted—150 head of cattle to pasture. H. C. Alexander, Medicine Lodge.

A. S. Huff of Sharon township was before the board of equalization Monday.

The Baptist ladies have another carpet for sale. Inquire of Mrs. Runyan.

Dr. Gilbert reports the birth of a son to O. J. Hitt and wife last Wednesday, June 2nd.

"Better than others" shoes for sale by J. K. Richardson, Gerlane. Every pair guaranteed.

See Will Timmis for cement work, all kinds. He guarantees all his work. Will contract or work by hour.

For Sale. Harness and buggy for Shetland pony and some second-hand pots and wire. A. B. Wilkins.

The cement crossing at the Christian church is being constructed this week, and this particular long felt need is at last being realized.

Miss Grace Williams returned home from Lyons, Kansas, last Thursday, where she attended the wedding of her friend, Miss Edna Stockstill.

Save your old papers and books for the Baptist ladies. They will call for them soon. On account of inclement weather they have neglected gathering them up for several weeks.

Dr. A. S. Cloud and ex-Commissioner P. W. Flanagan of Kiowa were before the county commissioners Monday. Dr. Cloud is county physician for the south half of the county.

Mrs. Jerry Simpson fell while alighting from a Cleveland avenue street car last night, spraining and injuring her right arm severely. Dr. Cave dressed the injury.—Wichita Beacon.

The new time card went into effect Sunday. It is better than the county has had for some time but we are still denied a Sunday train on both branches. The card is published elsewhere.

"Home memories" is the title of a beautiful piano composition (Reverie) now on sale at Young's drug store; although of medium grade it has a quality that is sure to please the real musician. This is I. O. Sherrod's latest production. Get it now, price 25 cents.

W. H. Kidd and family departed last Thursday morning to reside at Middleton, Illinois. Their son-in-law, Mack Long, and family have also returned to that state, all of which is a mistake and we confidently anticipate the return of both families to Kansas.

W. H. Robertson and son and Rayburn Foster had their preliminary hearing on the charge of stealing a gasoline engine from Wm. Garland, at Kiowa last Friday and were bound over for trial in district court. Foster gave bond but the Robertsons were unable to provide bail and were committed to jail.

The Index installed a new automatic folding machine this week. If it is a success, it will save a large amount of "elbow grease," but the publishers will probably have to go hungry a few years until it is paid for. Now if we can persuade about 300 subscribers to donate a dollar each we shall be as happy as the traditional boy with his first red-top boots.

Harry W. Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Moore, who have lived near Alva since the opening of this country to settlement, was on Tuesday elected Mayor of Cherokee; at the same time the people voted to make it a city of the first class.—Alva Pioneer.

Harry is a former Medicine Lodge boy. He is a grandson of Mrs. M. A. Moore. Her parents lived here until the opening of the Cherokee strip in the fall of 1893.

Mrs. W. G. Osborn returned home from Emporia last Friday. Her daughter, Miss Cecile, graduated from the musical course of the state Normal last week, receiving a diploma in the piano course and a certificate in the violin course. She has been engaged to instruct in music in the Normal during the summer but will get a short vacation in August when she will be home on a visit. She will probably also teach there during next fall and winter. Miss Cecile enjoys the distinction of having received the highest grade in her class. Her success is very gratifying to her friends here.

See T. L. Lindley & Co., today for hail insurance.

Chambermaid wanted at Grand hotel. Good wages.

Acetylene light is as cheap as coal oil and no work in connection.

A. Moses of east Sharon was attending to business in the city Monday.

Wanted, from 220 to 300 head of cattle to pasture on the Fralich ranch.—W. H. McCague.

Good clean kafir corn seed at 75 cents per bushel. F. C. Colborn, Medicine Lodge, Kansas.

T. C. Bunton of Kiowa, city marshal, was in the city yesterday on business connected with the Robertson case.

Miss Vesta Brown of Sharon was the guest of Miss Stacia Parsons of this city from Saturday of last week until Tuesday of this week.

W. A. Lonker and wife came down from Ford in their automobile last Friday evening and visited relatives and friends here until Monday evening, when they returned home.—Coldwater Talisman.

Miss Zee Stewart, daughter of M. F. Stewart and wife, of Deerhead, arrived from Stillwater, Oklahoma the first of the week to attend the normal institute. She had been attending college at Stillwater during the winter.

Wanted, in every town or township in Barber County (except the townships of Sharon, Cedar and Hazelton) a live, hustling agent to write hail insurance. Up-to-date contracts, good commission paid. For further particulars call on or address, T. L. Lindley & Co., Medicine Lodge, Kansas.

John Runkle has again embarked in business in Isabel, having bought out D. C. Pitcher, he will carry a line of the best farm tools and machinery ever brought to this country. He calls attention to the Ohio double row cultivator, a tool without an equal. You will find him early and late, at the Wheatley block.—Isabel Herald.

Here is a section of law which it might be well for the boys to read and observe: "Any minor who shall have in his possession any pistol, revolver or toy pistol, by which cartridges may be exploded, or any dirk, bowie knife, brass knuckles, slung shot or other weapon shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon a conviction before any court of competent jurisdiction shall be fined not less than one nor more than ten dollars."

The concert given by Messrs. McNeal and Gillett last Thursday night, under the auspices of St. Mark's Guild, was a very delightful entertainment. Both are finished vocalists and they were frequently encoored. Mr. Harry Terry of this city who is always a favorite among our lovers of music, appeared in one double number and was received with the usual enthusiastic applause and was compelled to respond to an encore, also. Mr. Braun of Illinois, who was visiting in the city, played two cornet solos which were exceedingly fine. The flute solo by Mr. Gillett was also excellent. Miss Veile of Kingman, accompanist, although quite young, is a skilled pianist.

The concert was liberally patronized and it was a success financially as well as musically.

It is getting to be a common complaint among farmers that motor drivers are abusing their privileges when meeting teams on the highways. This, of course, is true only of a small per cent of auto owners. Only a few are inconsiderate of the safety of men and women whom they meet driving teams. Within the past week there have been several instances in which accidents were narrowly averted. In these cases the auto driver rather increased than diminished the speed upon meeting a team and the road was quite narrow. The team was crowded into the fence and even then the car missed the near horse only a hair's breadth. There was another case in which a man was compelled to drive over an embankment into a plum thicket to get out of danger. The proper thing for an automobile driver to do is to slow down when he meets a team, whether the horses become frightened or not, and if the road is very narrow he should stop until the team passes. Many horses are frightened and made permanently unsafe by being crowded too close to a car going at great speed. In nearly all cases the complaints about reckless driving are against non-residents, but in a few instances certain resident automobile owners should exercise more care.

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THE CITIZENS STATE BANK

Gravel for sale at 20 cents per load. M. Best.

H. C. Walker of Kling was before the equalization board Monday.

Good alfalfa seed for sale. Address W. C. Alford, Hazelton, Kansas.

If you want the best suit of clothes money can buy go to J. K. Richardson, Gerlane.

Mrs. S. I. Field and son, Kendall, are taking treatment in St. Francis hospital, Wichita.

Light Brahma eggs for sale, 50c a setting. V. E. Rogers, Sharon, Kansas. Phone 713.

C. S. Page of Nippawalla called yesterday and helped our folder fund \$2. Who'll be the next?

Trustee J. R. Dunkin was among the Sharonites who attended equalization meeting the first of the week.

For Sale. 20,000 sweet potato plants and 300 bushels of pure Orange cane seed. S. W. Alfred, Sharon, Kansas.

Miss Margaret Kernohan visited with friends in the city Monday. She expects to go to Manhattan next week to attend commencement of the State Agricultural College.

A. B. Rumsey of Kiowa was "chinning" the county commissioners yesterday.

W. V. Stranathan of Moore was looking after business in the county seat the first of the week.

J. H. Nichols of Kiowa was ironing out difficulties before the board of equalization yesterday.

Prof. Sam'l Robinson of Sharon was over yesterday to meet his fellow educators and to help out the institute with his enrollment.

The frame building on the corner of Main and Kansas avenue is rapidly disappearing and when the new concrete one takes its place it will add greatly to the appearance of this business corner. One by one the eye sores of the town are disappearing.

J. W. Braun of Oquawka, Illinois, arrived in the city on Tuesday of last week to visit a few days with F. B. Chapin. They were intimate friends in their young manhood and their meeting was mutually enjoyable. Mr. Braun was well impressed with our part of the country. This was his first visit here. He returned home Monday.

Paid His Fine And Departed

Geo. Dollar was arrested last Thursday night on a charge of drunkenness and held in the sheriff's custody until Friday morning when County Attorney Field filed a formal charge before Justice Collins. George entered a plea of guilty and was fined \$10 and costs, amounting in all to nearly \$19. He raised the money and paid it and immediately left for Oklahoma.

There was another charge that might have been brought against him. It was a very serious one and smacks very much of brute nature although no overt physical violence was done. The child in the case was a little girl five years of age but to avoid notoriety and publicity the relatives of the child declined to press the matter if George would leave the county which he was eager to do.

This young man has allowed bad whiskey and other poisons to wreck him to such an extent that he appears to be in a bad way mentally. It is indeed deplorable that a man who otherwise would have the inherent elements to be of use to himself and the world will permit himself to sink so low.

Kafir corn seed for sale at Snyder elevator.